

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re F	Patent Application of							
Harmu	it KRATZKE et al) Group Art Unit: 1771						
Application No.: 09/719,247		Examiner: Jeremy R. Pierce						
Filed:	March 30, 2001	Group Art Unit: 1771 Examiner: Jeremy R. Pierce Confirmation No.: 5390						
For:	USE OF THREE-DIMENSIONAL CRIMPING FIBERS AND MAKING STAYING MATERIAL, AND RESULTING STAYING MATERIAL))))						
AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER								
	ant Commissioner for Patents agton, D.C. 20231							
Sir:								
E	Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.							
[X	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.							
[A Terminal Disclaimer and the [] \$55.00 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.	A Terminal Disclaimer and the [] \$55.00 (2814) [] \$110.00 (1814) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.						
[X	[X] Also enclosed is/are copy of U.S. Patent No. 6,109,015							
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[[] Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$375.00 (2801) [] \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).							
	[] Applicant(s) previously submitted requested.	_, on, for which continued examination is						
[Applicant(s) request suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.							
[A Request for Entry and Consideration o (1809/2809) is also enclosed.	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.						
Į] No additional claim fee is required.							

[] An addition	onal claim fe	e is required, and	is calculated	as shown below:	ADA OS	
AMENDED CLAIMS						
	No. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'LO FEE	
Total Claims	16	MINUS 20 =	0	× \$18.00 (1202) =	0.00	
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$84.00 (1201) =	0.00	
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Total Amendment Fee	0.00					
If small entity status is	0.00					
TOTAL ADDITIONA	\$0.00					

[]	A claim fee in the	amount of \$	is enclosed.
[]	Charge \$	to Deposit Account N	Vo. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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